**Statement**

The quantity and value of Unmanufactured Tobacco exported to major destination during 1985-86 is given below :-

(Qty. in 000' Tonnes Val : in Rs. Crores)

| S. No. | Country | Quantity | Value |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | USSR | 31.70 | 79.68 |
| 2. | U. K. | 9.5 | 24.25 |
| 3. | YAR | 6.46 | 5.95 |
| 4. | NEPAL | 3 03 | 4.30 |
| 5. | ALGERIA | 1.70 | 4.13 |
| 6. | GDR | 1.62 | 4.12 |
| 7. | IRISH REP | 0.74 | 1.92 |
| 8. | GERMANY F.R | 0.58 | 1.85 |
| 9. | S.ARABIA | 1 64 | 1.66 |
| TOTAL including of others: | | *64.43 | *139.98 |

*Provisional.
SOURCE : Tobacco Board. Guntur

**Steps to improve the functioning of the Income Tax Department**

1383. SHRI KAILASH PATI MISHRA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of ITOs. Assistant Commissioners and Commissioners of Income-tax in the Income-tax Department who were (i) dismissed/compulsorily retired and (ii) suspended and on whom major and minor penalties were emposed or inquiries conducted by the C.B.I. during the years 1984, 1985 and 1986 (upto June, 1986) on charges of corruption, inefficiency disproportionate assets and dereliction of duty;

(b) whether it is a fact that corruption is rampant in the Income-tax Department; and

(c) whether Government propose to appoint and Expert Committee to suggest steps to revamp and reorganise the administrative machinery in the Income-tax Department; if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARI): (a) (i) and (ii) In 1984, four ITOs were dismissed/compulsorily retired/removed from service and 10 ITOs were suspended. Major penalty was imposed on one ITO on charges of corruption and inefficiency on the basis of enquiries conducted by the C.B.I.

In 1985, 4 ITOs were dismissed or compulsorily retired or removed from service and 13 ITOs were suspended. Minor penalty was imposed on one ITO on the basis of enquiries conducted by the C.B.I. 3 Inspecting Assistant Commissioners and 1 Commissioner of Income Tax were suspended.

In 1986, 2 ITOs were dismissed or compulsorily retired or removed from service and 2 ITOs were suspended.

(b) No, Sir. There is no material to show that corruption is rampant in the Income-tax Department.

(c) No, Sir.

**Press report regarding exploitation of child labour**

1384. SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the press report captioned 'Child Labour-wanton exploitation' which appeared in the *Hindustan Times* of 17th June, 1986;

(b) whether it is a fact that the Harbans Singh Commission report on problems of child labour in Ramnathpuram has not been made public; if so, what are the reasons therefor;

(c) what are the findings and suggestions of the Commission; and

(d) whether any of the suggestions of the Commission have been implemented, if so, what are the details thereof and if not, what are the reasons for not implementing the same?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI P. A. SANGMA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) to (d) The Harbans Singh Commission was appointed by the State Government of Tamil Nadu and therefore action on the report has to be taken by them.

**यूनियन बैंक आफ इंडिया, कविनगर शाखा (गाजियाबाद) के प्रबन्धक के विरुद्ध आरोप**

1385. श्री सत्य प्रकाश मालवीय : क्या वित्त मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यूनियन बैंक आफ इंडिया कविनगर शाखा (गाजियाबाद) के प्रबन्धक के विरुद्ध जिनो प्रतिभूतियों के लाखों रुपये का ऋण देने के एक मामले का पता लगा है ;

(ख) यदि हां, तो उसका ब्यौरा क्या है ; और